

Appl. No. 09/774,526
Amdt.. dated August 23, 2003
Reply to Office Action of May 27, 2003

REMARKS

The amendments to the claims herein result in one extra independent claim beyond the number previously paid for. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1039 for the additional fee. The undersigned attorney is an authorized user of this Deposit Account.

The allowance of claims 1-10 and the indication of allowable subject matter in claims 12 -14 are noted and appreciated.

Claim 11 has been amended to add to it the subject matter of claim 14. Claim 14 is canceled.

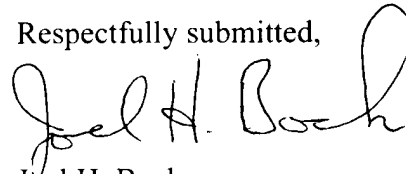
Claim 12 has been amended to place it in independent form by adding to it the subject matter of the previous claim 11. Claim 13 continues to depend on the amended claim 12.

These amendments to the claims comply with all of the requirements of the Office Action and place the application in condition for allowance.

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Accordingly, the application is resubmitted for reconsideration. A favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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